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TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Jonathan E. Fielding, MD, MPH
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SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT AN AMENDMENT TO SUBAWARD NUMBER 1557 G NA694 FROM THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES FROM A NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HEALTH GRANT AWARD**

This is to notify you that I am exercising the delegated authority approved by your Board on December 7, 2010, to accept future awards and/or amendments to the Agreement with The Regents of the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), that extend the term through June 30, 2016, at generally similar funding levels; 100 percent offset by UCLA's pass-through grant obtained from the federal National Institutes of Health, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board.

On January 21, 2011, I notified your Board that I was exercising delegated authority to accept and sign UCLA Subaward Number 1557 G NA694, for the term October 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, in the amount of \$529,886.

Under the delegated authority referenced above, I will accept and sign Amendment Number 1 to UCLA Subaward Number 1557 G NA694, issued by UCLA on October 14, 2011, for the period of July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012, in the amount of \$533,495, to continue to support the Seek, Test, and Treat Model study to offset the increased cost of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) prevention efforts with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) and the Department of Public Health (DPH), allowing DPH and LASD to continue to expand HIV prevention efforts to HIV positive inmates recently released from LASD facilities.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the Amendment as to use and this delegated authority action.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
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